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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

Plaintiff,

v.

JOSE FRANCISCO AGUIRRE,

Defendant.

**1:25-CR-2016-RLP**

INDICTMENT

Vio: 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1),  
(b)(1)(A)(viii)  
Distribution of 50 Grams and  
More of Actual (Pure)  
Methamphetamine  
(Count 1)

21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1),  
(b)(1)(C)  
Distribution of Fentanyl  
(Count 2)

21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1),  
(b)(1)(B)(vi)  
Distribution of 40 Grams or  
More of Fentanyl  
(Count 3)

21 U.S.C. § 853  
Forfeiture Allegations

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2 The Grand Jury charges:  
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4 COUNT 1

5 On or about March 1, 2024, in the Eastern District of Washington, the  
6 Defendant, JOSE FRANCISCO AGUIRRE, knowingly distributed 50 grams or  
7 more of actual (pure) methamphetamine, a Schedule II controlled substance, in  
8 violation of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1), (b)(1)(A)(viii).  
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11 COUNT 2

12 On or about March 1, 2024, in the Eastern District of Washington, the  
13 Defendant, JOSE FRANCISCO AGUIRRE, knowingly distributed a mixture or  
14 substance containing a detectable amount of N-phenyl-N-[1-(2-phenylethyl)-4-  
15 piperidinyl] propanamide (a/k/a fentanyl), a Schedule II controlled substance, in  
16 violation of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1), (b)(1)(C).  
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19 COUNT 3

20 On or about February 21, 2024, in the Eastern District of Washington, the  
21 Defendant, JOSE FRANCISCO AGUIRRE, knowingly distributed 40 grams or  
22 more of a mixture or substance containing a detectable amount of N-phenyl-N-[1-  
23 (2-phenylethyl)-4-piperidinyl] propanamide (a/k/a fentanyl), a Schedule II  
24 controlled substance, in violation of 21 U.S.C. § 841(a)(1), (b)(1)(B)(vi).  
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1 NOTICE OF CRIMINAL FORFEITURE ALLEGATIONS

2 The allegations set forth in this Indictment are hereby realleged and  
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4 incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeitures.

5 Pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853, upon conviction of an offense(s) in violation of  
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7 21 U.S.C. § 841, as set forth in this Indictment, Defendant JOSE FRANCISCO  
8 AGUIRRE, shall forfeit to the United States of America any property constituting,  
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10 or derived from, any proceeds obtained, directly or indirectly, as the result of such  
11 offense and any property used or intended to be used, in any manner or part, to  
12 commit or to facilitate the commission of the offense(s).

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14 If any forfeitable property, as a result of any act or omission of the Defendants:

15 (a) cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;

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17 (b) has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with, a third party;

18 (c) has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the court; has been  
19 substantially diminished in value; or

20 (d) has been comingled with other property which cannot be divided  
21 without difficulty,

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1 the United States of America shall be entitled to forfeiture of substitute property  
2 pursuant to 21 U.S.C. § 853(p).  
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4 DATED this 11 day of February 2025.

5 A TRUE BILL

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9 Foreperson

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